

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Mortiz Rossner et al.
Title: NOVEL METHOD FOR DETECTING AND
ANALYZING PROTEIN INTERACTIONS
IN VIVO
Appl. No.: 10/507,506
Filing Date: 12/13/2004
Examiner: Sheridan SWOPE
Art Unit: 1652
Confirmation Number: 6374

PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2)

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner to withdraw the captioned application from issue under 37 CFR § 1.313(c)(2), so that Applicant can submit a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114, with an Information Disclosure Statement.

The issue fee for the captioned application was paid on April 7, 2009. To date, the present application has not received an issue date.

Withdrawal from issuance is required to enable the examiner to consider references that were inadvertently omitted before allowance of the present application. Accordingly, it is desired to withdraw the present application from issue in favor of a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114, so that the references may be considered by the Examiner.

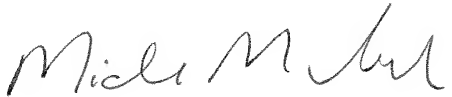
The Request for Continued Examination and Information Disclosure Statement are submitted herewith.

A credit card payment form including the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(h) and the RCE fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(e) is submitted herewith.

Should there be any questions regarding this petition, or should any additional information be required, the Commissioner is urged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

By _____

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